

**IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE**

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**RESPONSE TO RESTRICTION REQUIREMENT MAILED JANUARY 11, 2007**  
**AND AMENDMENT**

This paper is filed in response to the Office Action (hereinafter, the “Action”) mailed on January 11, 2007, for which a response is due on February 12, 2007 because February 11, 2007 is a Sunday. Therefore, this response is timely filed and no fees are believed to be due. However, in the event that fees are due, please debit Deposit Account No. 06-0029. Please amend the above-identified application as follows:

**Amendments to the Claims** begin on page 2 of this paper.

**Remarks** begin on page 7 of this paper.